

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 0600 November 24 2015 to 1800 November 24 2015



Carson Mansion is a castle-like Victorian structure located at 143 M Street at M and 2nd Streets in Eureka, California. The mansion castle was built by lumber baron William Carson in 1886.

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Note: [Report updates are in blue](#)



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# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Summerset Apartments Incident, Fresno, Fresno County

There was a loss of natural gas to the Summerset Apartment complex near Fresno Street and Clinton in the City of Fresno. The complex has 220 units and houses 1,500 – 1,800 residents who are primarily southeast Asian refugees – about 25 of the units are Section 8. The complex has a private gas distribution system that has once supply point from PG&E. About 10 days ago the natural gas was turned off to make repairs. On Friday, 11/20/15, the City became aware of the complexity of the repairs needed and confirmed that large portions of the gas lines will not hold pressure. The residents rely on gas for heat, hot water and drying clothes. Repairs are estimated to take 3 weeks. Long-term relocation is being discussed, but a decision was made to house in-place for the next few days and provide support to the residents. The first priority is to ensure life-safety issues are addressed. The concern is residents will bring in portable gas appliances. The City Fire Department will have a 24 hour fire watch onsite until all detectors are installed.

- On 11/24/15, the City of Fresno determined that a shelter will not be needed.
- The City is in the leadership role with Red Cross serving as technical assistance, support and convening of necessary partners to support. County OES is not planning to activate at this time. Cal OES ESC Patti Tran deployed to the ICP and demobilized as of 1800 hours on 11/24/15.
- Red Cross preparedness team, city fire and translators have installed smoke detectors in 129 units.
- Fresno Interdenominational Refugee Ministries (FIRM) is a local partner, with facilities adjacent to the apartment complex, that ARC has positioned in a lead role for feeding. ARC has been supporting this partner with food and staff and is looking to local churches to assist as well.
- ARC has contacted Southern Baptist for a kitchen and a shower unit. Southern Baptist will train FIRM on how to run the kitchen and cook culturally appropriate meals. ARC has a local partner that will help develop a suitable menu. The Southern Baptist shower units are not ADA Compliant, the city is in the process of locating ADA compliant shower facilities.
- The City of Fresno is providing school buses service to residents to shuttle them to the High School for showers and that will continue through Thursday. On Thursday, a mobile shower unit will arrive.
- Currently, ARC believes approximately 10 medically sensitive individuals have been identified. Department of Public Health (DPH) has been asked to identify newborns or others with health issues.
- Residents speak various dialects of Hmong, Vietnamese, Cambodian, and Laotian. DPH has offered to support the project with translators and will reach out to Behavioral Health and Social Services to see if they have resources.
- The City of Fresno has a declaration drafted and, if they decide to proclaim, they will ratify their declaration on Monday, 12/01/15. They are not asking for any state assistance.

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Proclamation, Mariposa County, Drought/Tree Mortality**

- On 11/24/15 at 1648 hours the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received proclamation continuances from Mariposa County; one for the Drought and a second for Tree Mortality.

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

## **Weather of Concern**

- A cold storm system will bring precipitation to Northern California through Wednesday morning. This will produce accumulating snow over nearly all area mountain passes during the day. Heavy snow and windy conditions are expected into Wednesday morning east of the cascades. This will result in potentially hazardous travel prior to the Thanksgiving holiday.
- There will be a risk of minor coastal flooding this week due to a combination of unusually high tides and strong onshore winds over the coastal waters. The highest high tides are expected during the morning hours Wednesday and Thursday, rising to 7.8 feet at Santa Monica, 7.4 feet at Santa Barbara Harbor, and 7.3 feet at Port San Luis. Meanwhile, strong onshore winds will affect the waters through Wednesday Night, helping to increase water levels near-shore and increasing currents along area beaches.

## **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

[http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

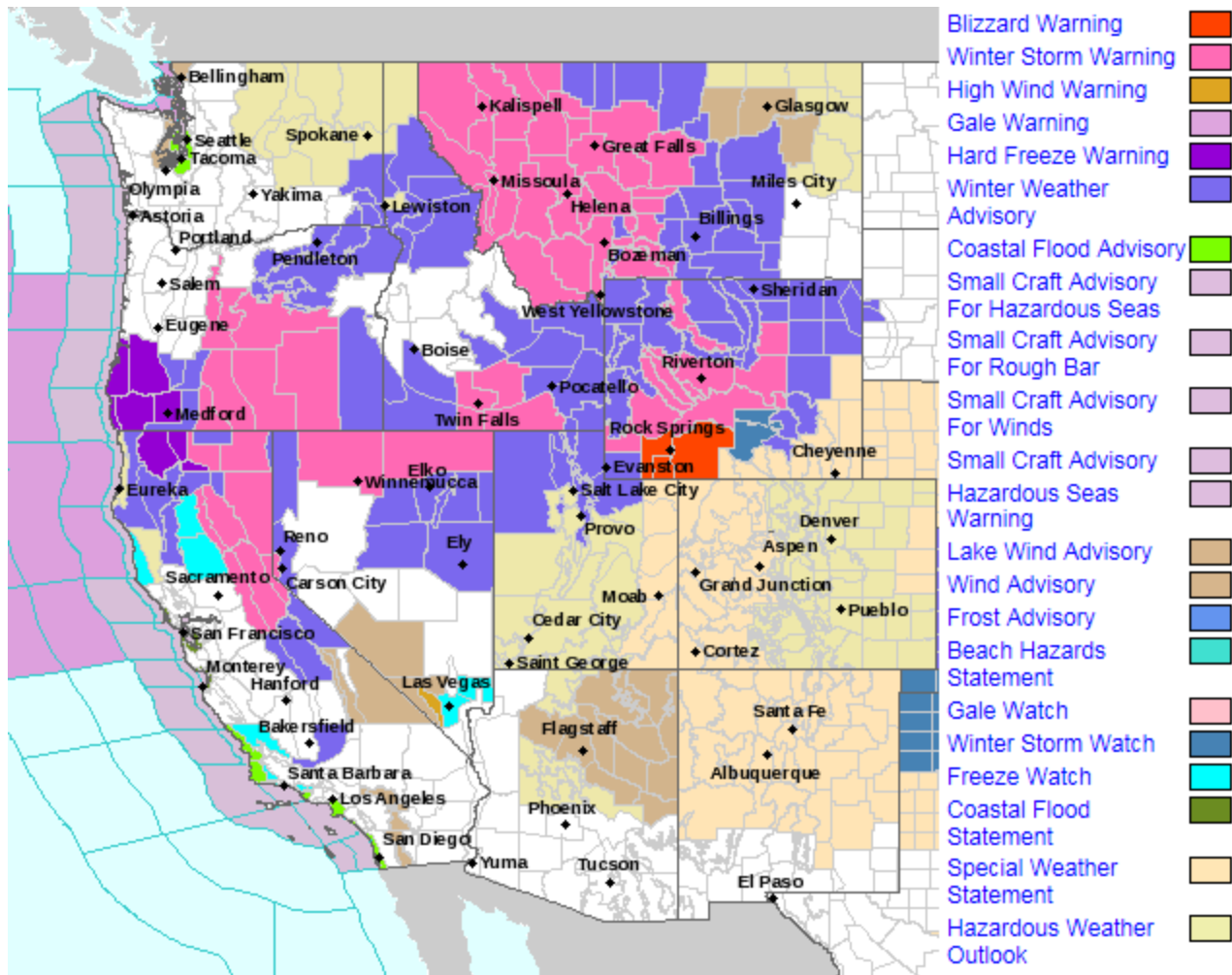
A Gulf-of-Alaska low is dropping Southeast into Northern California today, with moderate precipitation occurring or expected over a large share of the Geographic Area by evening. South to Southwest pre-frontal wind gusts will increase to 35-45 mph over and east of the northern Sierra this morning, before winds turn to generally more of a moderate west to northwest behind the front later today. The center of the cold low is forecast to be near Yreka by late afternoon, and then to progress over to northwest Nevada by midnight. Total frontal precipitation by late tonight in Northern California is forecast to range from .25 to 1.25 inches across most of the Area, which translates to 10-15 inches of new snow over the high mountains of Northwest California, and in/near the northern Sierra. The low spends Wednesday and Thursday centered over varying parts of the western Great Basin, before expanding in size, and with the low center actually backing westward toward Northern California again Friday. This sequence of events allows Northern California to see less cloud cover and start to temporarily dry out late tomorrow into Thanksgiving Day, with some north winds, before having increased cloud cover again late Friday and Saturday. The second round of showers with the return of the low will be lighter, and could be confined to the northern Sierra and vicinity. Northern California will see temporary weak high pressure ridging Sunday, before moist westerlies bring perhaps several days of rain next week. There is a chance we could see some fairly heavy totals in those milder moist systems.

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

An area of low pressure currently off the Oregon Coast will drop southeast into Nevada by Wednesday bringing much cooler temperatures to the area. Maximum temperatures will be near normal today, with upper 40s and 50s across the mountains and 60s to low 70s in the valleys. Temperatures will cool further Wednesday, with mid 30s to mid 40s across the mountains and mid 50s to mid 60s in the valleys. This low pressure area will also bring scattered showers to the region this evening through Wednesday afternoon, with most locations expected to receive less than a quarter inch of rainfall. However, the Central Sierra will receive up to an inch. The snow level will be around 4,000 feet across Central California and around 5,000 feet across Southern California. South to west winds of 20 to 30 mph with gusts to 50 mph will surface across the mountain ridges and desert passes through Wednesday afternoon. The low will remain stationary over Nevada Thursday through Saturday causing temperatures to remain well below normal. Isolated showers will be possible at times Wednesday night through Saturday night, especially across the Sierra. A weak ridge of high pressure will build into California from the Pacific bringing a gradual warming and drying trend to the region Sunday through early next week. Winds will be light Thursday through early next week.



# STATE WEATHER MAP



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>



# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every other Monday at 1100 hours.

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### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 63 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 29 Counties: Butte, Colusa, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



# CAL OES MISSIONS

## New/Closed Cal OES Mission

- **2015-LAW-20157, 11/23/15 2000 Hours**, Solano County requested a trailing dog to assist in the search for a missing female teen in the Fairfield area. Cal OERS Canine coordinator was advised. **Update 2030 Hours:** Solano Sheriff advised that the subject had been located alive. Resources cancelled. **Mission Closed.**

## Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-20082, 11/19/15, 1147 Hours**, Trinity County has requested Human Remains Detection (HRD) dogs to search a parcel of land in the Kettenpom area of Trinity County. The search will attempt to locate the remains of a subject missing since 10/11/15. Request referred to the Canine Coordinator for tasking and scheduling. **Update 11/21/15:** Search has been scheduled for 12/4-5/15. **Mission Ongoing.**



**Mission:**

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*